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For: OPTICAL FILTER MODULE AND OPTICAL APPARATUS USING THE SAME

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 18, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:¹

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

The specification is changed as follows:

Page 19, second full paragraph:

Fig. 17 and Fig. 18 show a rod lens 24 and wavelength band-pass filter 40 used in the third embodiment of the optical multi/demultiplexer according to the present invention.

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¹ Please note that this Amendment was timely filed since the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office was closed on February 18, 2003 due to adverse weather conditions (snow).